

## Message Text

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ACTION IO-13

INFO OCT-01 AF-10 EUR-12 ISO-00 SSO-00 SS-15 PRS-01

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O 071228Z MAY 77

FM AMEMBASSY LAGOS

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 981

INFO AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN

AMEMBASSY ACCRA

AMEMBASSY KHARTOUM

AMEMBASSY LIBREVILLE

AMEMBASSY LISBON

AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY MAPUTO

AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

SUMISSION USUN NEWYORK IMMEDIATE 2337

AMCONSUL CAPE TOWN

AMCONSUL JOHANNESBURG

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CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, OVIP (YOUNG, ANDREW)

SUBJECT: AMBASSADOR YOUNG'S VISIT TO AFRICA

REF: (A) STATE 104802, (B) USUN 1418 (NOTAL), (C) LAGOS 5172  
(NOTAL)

1. WHILE AMBASSADOR YOUNG ALWAYS WELCOME IN LAGOS, TIMING OF  
VISIT MAY BE LESS THAN IDEAL AS INDICATED REF C. WE DO NOT KNOW  
WHETHER TOP FMG LEADERSHIP WILL BE AVAILABLE. WE ARE ATTEMPTING  
REACH OFFICIALS THIS WEEKEND. WILL PROBABLY NOT HAVE ANYTHING  
DEFINITE TO REPORT MONDAY AT THE EARLIEST.

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2. REFTEL A GIVES AMBASSADOR YOUNG'S ARRIVAL AS EVENING MAY 13  
WHILE REFTEL B SAYS MAY 12. WE ASSUME REFTEL A IS THE LATEST  
WORD. WE HAVE BEGUN LOGISTICAL ARRANGEMENTS. NEED TO KNOW  
EXACT NUMBER OF HOTEL ROOMS REQUIRED.

3. IF NIGERIAN VISA WAIVER UNOBTAINABLE IN WASHINGTON,  
SUGGEST VISAS BE SECURED FROM NIGERIAN EMBASSY ABIDJAN.

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